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Charles Bryant

Conagra, Inc.
Lease Financing Dated as of May 1, 1979
10% Conditional Sale Indebtedness due 1999
[CS&M Ref.: 4876-007]

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 11303(a), I enclose herewith on behalf of Conagra, Inc., for filing and recordation counterparts of the following documents:

1. (a) Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of May 1, 1979, among Exchange National Bank of Chicago, as Trustee, and Railway Marketing Corporation and Pullman Incorporated (Pullman Standard Division), as Builder; and

(b) Agreement and Assignment dated as of May 1, 1979, among Railway Marketing Corporation and Pullman Incorporated (Pullman Standard Division), as Builder, and La Salle National Bank, as Agent.

2. (a) Lease of Railroad Equipment dated as of May 1, 1979, among MHC, Inc., Conagra, Inc., and Exchange National Bank of Chicago, as Trustee; and

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(b) Assignment of Lease and Agreement dated as of May 1, 1979, between Exchange National Bank of Chicago, as Trustee, and La Salle National Bank, as Agent.

The names and addresses of the parties to the aforementioned Agreements are as follows:

(1) Agent-Vendor:

La Salle National Bank
135 South LaSalle Street
Chicago, Illinois 60690

(2) Trustee:

Exchange National Bank of Chicago
130 South LaSalle Street
Chicago, Illinois 60690

(3) Builder:

Pullman Incorporated
(Pullman Standard Division)
200 South Michigan Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60604

(4) RMC-Vendor:

Railway Marketing Corporation
450 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10022

(5) Lessee:

MHC, Inc.
200 Kiewit Plaza
Omaha, Nebraska 68131

(6) Guarantor:

Conagra, Inc.
200 Kiewit Plaza
Omaha, Nebraska 68131

Please file and record the documents referred to in this letter and cross-index them under the names of the Agent-Vendor, the Trustee, the Builder, the Lessee and the Guarantor.

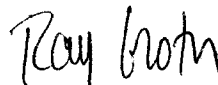
The equipment covered by the aforementioned documents consists of:

200 4,750 cubic foot covered hopper grain cars bearing identifying numbers CAGX 100-299.

There is also enclosed a check for \$100 payable to the Interstate Commerce Commission, representing the fee for recording the Conditional Sale Agreement and related Agreement and Assignment (together constituting one document) and the Lease of Railroad Equipment, and related Assignment of Lease and Agreement (together constituting one document).

Please stamp all counterparts of the enclosed documents with your official recording stamp. You will wish to retain one copy of the instruments for your files. It is requested that the remaining counterparts be delivered to the bearer of this letter.

Very truly yours,



Raymond C. Groth
As Agent for Conagra, Inc.

Interstate Commerce Commission,
Washington, D. C. 20423

Attention of Mr. H. G. Homme, Jr.,
Secretary.

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[CS&M Ref. 4876-007]

LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT

Dated as of May 1, 1979

Among

MHC, INC.,

CONAGRA, INC.,

and

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO,
not in its individual capacity but solely as
Trustee under a Trust Agreement dated as of the
date hereof with
ITT Industrial Credit Company of Tennessee

[Covering 200 4,750 cubic foot covered hopper grain cars]

LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT

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LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT dated as of May 1, 1979, among MHC, INC., an Oregon corporation (the "Lessee"), CONAGRA, INC., a Delaware corporation (the "Guarantor"), and EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO, a national banking association, acting not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee (the "Trustee") under a Trust Agreement dated as of the date hereof (the "Trust Agreement") with ITT INDUSTRIAL CREDIT COMPANY OF TENNESSEE, a Tennessee corporation (the "Owner").

WHEREAS the Trustee is entering into a Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of the date hereof (the "CSA") with PULLMAN INCORPORATED (Pullman Standard Division), a Delaware corporation (the "Builder"), and RAILWAY MARKETING CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation ("RMC"), wherein the Builder has agreed to manufacture, sell and deliver to RMC, and RMC has agreed to sell and deliver to the Trustee, the units of railroad equipment described in Appendix A hereto (the "Equipment");

WHEREAS RMC is assigning certain of its interests in the CSA pursuant to an Agreement and Assignment dated the date hereof (the "CSA Assignment") to LA SALLE NATIONAL BANK, acting as agent (said agent as so acting, being hereinafter, together with its successors and assigns, called the "Vendor") for a certain investor under a Participation Agreement dated as of the date hereof (the "Participation Agreement") among the Vendor, the Lessee, the Guarantor, the Trustee, the Owner and the party named in Appendix I thereto (individually the "Investor" and, together with any assignees, collectively the "Investors");

WHEREAS the Lessee desires to lease such number of units of the Equipment as are settled for under the CSA (the "Units") at the rentals and for the terms and upon the conditions hereinafter provided; and

WHEREAS the Trustee will assign this Lease for security to the Vendor pursuant to an Assignment of Lease and Agreement dated as of the date hereof (the "Lease Assignment"), and the Lessee and the Guarantor will acknowledge and consent thereto pursuant to the Consent and Agreement substantially in the form attached to the Lease Assignment (the "Consent");

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the rentals to be paid and the covenants hereinafter mentioned to be kept and performed by the Lessee and the Guarantor, the Trustee hereby leases the Units to the Lessee upon the following terms and conditions:

§ 1. NET LEASE

This Lease is a net lease. Each of the Lessee's and the Guarantor's obligation to pay all rentals and other amounts hereunder shall be absolute and unconditional and, except as herein specifically provided, neither the Lessee nor the Guarantor shall be entitled to any abatement of rent or such other amounts, reduction thereof or setoff against rent or such other amounts, including, but not limited to, abatements, reductions or setoffs due or alleged to be due by reason of any past, present or future claims of the Lessee or the Guarantor against the Trustee or the Owner under this Lease or the CSA, including the Lessee's and the Guarantor's, as the case may be, rights by subrogation thereunder to the Builder, RMC or the Vendor or otherwise; nor, except as otherwise expressly provided herein, shall this Lease terminate, or the respective obligations of the Trustee or the Lessee or the Guarantor be otherwise affected, by reason of any defect in or damage to or loss of possession or loss of use or destruction of all or any of the Units from whatsoever cause, any liens, encumbrances or rights of others with respect to any of the Units, the prohibition of or other restriction against the Lessee's or the Guarantor's use of all or any of the Units, the interference with such use by any person or entity, the invalidity or unenforceability or lack of due authorization of this Lease, any insolvency of or any bankruptcy, reorganization or similar proceeding against the Lessee or the Guarantor, or for any other cause whether similar or dissimilar to the foregoing, any present or future law to the contrary notwithstanding, it being the intention of the parties hereto that the rents and other amounts payable by the Lessee and the Guarantor hereunder shall continue to be payable in all events in the manner and at the times herein provided unless the obligation to pay the same shall be terminated pursuant to the express provisions of this Lease. To the extent permitted by applicable law, each of the Lessee and the Guarantor hereby waives any and all rights which it may now have or which at any time hereafter may be conferred upon it, by statute or otherwise, to terminate, cancel, quit or surrender the lease of any of

the Units except in accordance with the express terms hereof. Each rental or other payment made by the Lessee or the Guarantor hereunder shall be final, and neither the Lessee nor the Guarantor shall seek to recover all or any part of such payment from the Builder, RMC, the Trustee, the Owner or the Vendor for any reason whatsoever.

§ 2. DELIVERY AND ACCEPTANCE OF UNITS

The Trustee hereby appoints the Lessee its agent for inspection and acceptance of the Units pursuant to the CSA. Each delivery of a Unit to the Trustee under the CSA shall be deemed to be a delivery hereunder to the Lessee at the point or points within the United States of America at which such Unit is so delivered to the Trustee. Upon such delivery, the Lessee will cause an employee of the Lessee to inspect the same, and if such Unit is found to be acceptable, to accept delivery of such Unit on behalf of the Trustee under the CSA and on behalf of itself hereunder and execute and deliver to the Trustee a certificate of acceptance (the "Certificate of Acceptance") in accordance with the provisions of Article 3 of the CSA, stating that such Unit has been inspected and accepted on behalf of the Lessee on the date of such Certificate of Acceptance and is marked in accordance with § 5.1 hereof, whereupon such Unit shall be deemed to have been delivered to and accepted by the Lessee and shall be subject thereafter to all the terms and conditions of this Lease.

§ 3. RENTALS

3.1. Amount and Date of Payment. The Lessee agrees to pay to the Trustee, as rental for each Unit subject to this Lease, (a) one interim rental payment on the last Closing Date (as defined in paragraph 4.2 of the CSA) and (b) thereafter 80 consecutive quarterly payments, in arrears, commencing on the day corresponding to the last Closing Date in the third month immediately following such Closing Date and the corresponding day in each of the 79 three-month periods immediately following such first quarterly rental payment. The interim rental payment shall be in an amount equal to .026631% of the Trustee's Purchase Price for each Unit subject to the Lease for each day elapsed from and including the Closing Date to, but not including, the date on which such payment is made. In respect of each Unit subject to this Lease, the 80 quarterly rental payments shall each be in an amount equal to 2.3968% multiplied by the

Trustee's Purchase Price (as defined in paragraph 4.1 of the CSA) of each such Unit.

In the event that there are any losses or liabilities arising out of or resulting from the Investments made pursuant to Paragraph 2 of the Participation Agreement, including, but not limited to, any Investment Deficiency in respect thereof, the rentals thereafter payable by the Lessee in respect of Units settled for concurrently with or after such losses, liabilities or deficiency arose shall be increased by such amount as shall, in the reasonable opinion of the Owner, cause such Owner's after-tax economic yields and cash flows, computed on the same assumptions, including tax rates, as were utilized by such Owner in originally evaluating this transaction (such economic yields and cash flows hereinafter called the Net Economic Return) to equal the Net Economic Return that would have been realized by such Owner if such loss or liability had not occurred.

In addition to the foregoing rentals, the Lessee hereby agrees to pay to the Trustee as rent amounts equal to the amounts required by the Trustee to make the payments provided for in the last sentence of the first paragraph and in the last paragraph of Paragraph 9 of the Participation Agreement on the dates required for such payments in said Paragraph 9 (without regard to the limitation of the obligation of the Trustee set forth therein) and the Trustee agrees to apply such rentals for such purposes.

3.2. Payments on Nonbusiness Days. If any of the rental payment dates referred to in § 3.1 is not a business day the rental payment otherwise payable on such date shall be payable on the next preceding business day. The term "business day" as used herein means a calendar day, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and any other day on which banking institutions in Chicago, Illinois, are authorized or obligated to remain closed.

3.3. Instructions To Pay Vendor and Trustee. Upon execution and delivery of the Lease Assignment and until the Vendor shall have advised the Lessee in writing that all sums due from the Trustee under the CSA have been fully satisfied and discharged, the Trustee irrevocably instructs the Lessee to make all the payments provided for in this Lease (except indemnities or other payments payable to the Trustee in its individual capacity which shall be paid directly to the Trustee) to the Vendor, for the account of the Trustee, in care of the Vendor, with instructions to the Vendor (a) first to apply such payments to satisfy the obligations of the

Trustee under the CSA known to the Vendor to be due and payable on the date such payments are due and payable hereunder and (b) second, so long as no event of default under the CSA shall have occurred and be continuing, to pay any balance promptly to the Trustee or to the order of the Trustee in immediately available funds at such place as the Trustee shall specify in writing. If the Lease Assignment is not executed and delivered, or if the Lessee shall have been advised by the Vendor in writing that all sums due from the Trustee under the CSA have been fully discharged and satisfied, the installments of rental due hereunder, any Casualty Payments thereafter due pursuant to § 7 hereof shall be made to the Trustee in immediately available funds in the manner provided in § 3.4 hereof.

3.4. Payment in Immediately Available Funds. The Lessee agrees to make each payment provided for herein as contemplated by § 3.1 in immediately available funds at or prior to 11:00 a.m. in the city where such payment is to be made.

§ 4. TERM OF LEASE

4.1. Beginning and Termination; Survival. The term of this Lease as to each Unit shall begin on the date of delivery of such Unit under the CSA and, subject to the provisions of §§ 7, 13 and 16 hereof, shall terminate on the date on which the final payment of rent in respect thereof is due pursuant to § 3.1 hereof. The obligations of the Lessee hereunder (including, but not limited to, the obligations under §§ 6, 7, 10, 11, 12 and 17 hereof) shall survive the expiration of the term of this Lease.

4.2. Rights and Obligations of Lessee and Guarantor Subject to CSA. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, all rights and obligations of the Lessee and the Guarantor under this Lease and in and to the Units are subject to the rights of the Vendor under the CSA. If an event of default should occur under the CSA, the Vendor may terminate this Lease (or rescind its termination) without affecting the indemnities which by the provisions of this Lease survive the termination of its term, all as provided herein.

§ 5. IDENTIFICATION MARKS

5.1. Identifying Numbers; Legend; Changes. The Lessee will cause each Unit to be kept numbered with the

identification number set forth in Appendix A hereto, or in the case of any Unit not there listed such identification number as shall be set forth in any amendment or supplement hereto extending this Lease to cover such Unit, and will keep and maintain, plainly, distinctly, permanently and conspicuously marked on each side of each Unit, in letters not less than one inch in height, the words "OWNERSHIP SUBJECT TO A SECURITY AGREEMENT FILED WITH THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION", or other appropriate words designated by the Trustee, with appropriate changes thereof and additions thereto as from time to time may be required by law in order to protect the Trustee's and Vendor's title to and property in such Unit and the rights of the Trustee under this Lease and of the rights of the Vendor under the CSA. The Lessee will not place any such Unit in operation or exercise any control or dominion over the same until such words shall have been so marked on both sides thereof and will replace promptly any such words which may be removed, defaced or destroyed. The Lessee will not change the identification number of any Unit unless and until (i) a statement of new number or numbers to be substituted therefor shall have been filed with the Vendor and the Trustee and filed, recorded and deposited by the Lessee in all public offices where this Lease and the CSA shall have been filed, recorded and deposited and (ii) the Lessee shall have furnished the Vendor and the Trustee an opinion of counsel to the effect that such statement has been so filed, recorded and deposited, such filing, recordation and deposit will protect the Vendor's and the Trustee's interests in such Units and no filing, recording, deposit or giving of notice with or to any other Federal, state or local government or agency thereof is necessary to protect the interests of the Vendor and the Trustee in such Units.

5.2. Insignia of Lessee. The Units may be lettered with the names or initials or other insignia customarily used by the Lessee or its affiliates, but the Lessee will not allow the name of any other person, association or corporation to be placed on any Unit as a designation that might be interpreted as a claim of ownership.

§ 6. GENERAL TAX INDEMNIFICATION

The Lessee assumes responsibility for and agrees to pay, and agrees to protect, save, keep harmless and indemnify on an after-tax basis the Trustee (in both its individual and fiduciary capacities) and the Vendor and their successors and

assigns (the "Indemnified Persons") against, all taxes, assessments, fees, withholdings and other governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including, without limitation, penalties and interest (all such taxes, assessments, fees, withholdings, governmental charges, penalties and interest being hereinafter called "Taxes"), imposed on, incurred by or asserted against any Indemnified Person or any Unit in whole or in part on account of, or with respect to, this Lease or the CSA or any document referred to herein or therein or any of the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby or the manufacture, purchase, acceptance or rejection of the Units or any portion thereof or the ownership, delivery, nondelivery, leasing, re-leasing, subleasing, possession, use, transfer of title, operation, maintenance, repair, condition, sale, return, or other disposition of the Units or any portion thereof or any indebtedness with respect thereto or the rentals, receipts, earnings or gains arising therefrom; provided, however, that there shall be no indemnification hereunder: (i) for any taxes imposed on or measured by any fees or compensation received by the Trustee; and (ii) for any Federal, state or local taxes measured by net income based upon the Trustee's receipt of payments provided for herein (other than payments due the Trustee under this § 6 for which the Trustee is entitled to a corresponding deduction in the calculation of its net income) and franchise and value added taxes which are in lieu of such net income taxes. The Lessee shall pay all Taxes for which it assumes liability hereunder when such Taxes are due and will indemnify each Indemnified Person to the extent required by this § 6 within ten days after receipt of a written request by such Indemnified Person for indemnification specifying the amount to be paid, the basis on which such amount was determined and the nature of the Taxes in question; provided, however, that if any Taxes are being contested in accordance with the sixth paragraph of this § 6, any payment shall be made at the time therein provided.

In the event that the Trustee shall become obligated to make any payment to the Builder, RMC or the Vendor or otherwise pursuant to any corresponding provision of the CSA not covered by the foregoing paragraph of this § 6, the Lessee shall pay such additional amounts (which shall also be deemed Taxes hereunder) to the Trustee as will enable the Trustee to fulfill completely its obligations pursuant to said provision.

In the event any returns, statements or reports with respect to Taxes are required to be made, the Lessee will make such returns, statements and reports in such manner as to show the interest of the Trustee and the Vendor in such Units, as shall be satisfactory to the Trustee and the Vendor; provided, however, that the Trustee shall, with respect to any state or political subdivision thereof of the United States of America, file such returns, statements and reports relating to sales or use taxes, and taxes, fees and charges on or measured by the Trustee's earnings or gross receipts arising from the Units, or the value added by the Trustee thereto, as the Lessee shall determine are required to be filed, and as shall be prepared by the Lessee, and shall remit the amount thereof upon payment by the Lessee to the Trustee (such payment to be made promptly upon demand by the Trustee therefor) of such taxes, fees and charges except as provided above. To the extent that the Trustee has information necessary to the preparation of such returns, statements and reports, it will furnish such information to the Lessee.

To the extent that the Lessee may be prohibited by law from performing in its own name the duties required by this § 6, the Trustee hereby authorizes the Lessee to act in the name of the Trustee and on its behalf; provided, however, that the Lessee shall indemnify and hold the Trustee (in both its individual and fiduciary capacities) harmless from and against any and all claims, costs, expenses, damages, losses and liabilities incurred in connection therewith as a result of, or incident to, any action by the Lessee pursuant to this authorization.

The Lessee shall, whenever reasonably requested by the Trustee, submit to the Trustee copies of returns, statements, reports, billings and remittances, or furnish other evidence satisfactory to the Trustee of the Lessee's performance of its duties under this § 6. The Lessee shall also furnish promptly upon request such data as the Trustee reasonably may require to permit its compliance with the requirements of taxing jurisdictions.

If any taxing authority shall assert liability for any Taxes or propose an increase in the liability of any Indemnified Person for any such Taxes (such assertion or such proposed increase being hereinafter called a "Claim"), indemnification for which would be required under this § 6, the Indemnified Person will notify the Lessee within a reasonable time of such Claim in writing. If the Lessee delivers to such Indemnified Person written notice of its desire to

contest such Claim within 30 days after receipt of notice from such Indemnified Person, such Claim will be contested in accordance with this paragraph, except to the extent such Claim represents amounts payable to the Vendor under Article 6 of the CSA. If reasonably requested by the Lessee in writing and upon receipt of an indemnification reasonably satisfactory to the Indemnified Person, then the Trustee will permit the Lessee to contest such claims under Article 6 of the CSA in accordance with the rights of the Trustee thereunder; provided, however, that such contest shall not adversely affect the right, title and interest of the Trustee in the Units and the Lease. Such Indemnified Person will cooperate with any reasonable request made by the Lessee in connection therewith; provided, however, that such Indemnified Person may in its sole discretion determine in what court or other forum such contest will be conducted and whether such contest will proceed by payment of the Taxes in contemplation of a suit for refund, and such Indemnified Person shall not be required to take any action pursuant to this paragraph unless and until the Lessee shall have agreed to indemnify such Indemnified Person in a manner satisfactory to such Indemnified Person for any liability or loss which such Indemnified Person may incur as a result of contesting the validity of any Claim and shall have agreed to pay such Indemnified Person on demand all costs and expenses which such Indemnified Person may incur in connection with contesting such Claim (including fees and disbursements of counsel). If in any such contest the decision is made to pay the Taxes and sue for a refund, the Lessee will advance to such Indemnified Person on an interest-free basis sufficient funds to pay the Taxes which are to be contested. Upon receipt by any Indemnified Person of a refund of any Taxes paid by the Lessee pursuant to this paragraph, the amount of such refund and any interest paid to such Indemnified Person with respect thereto shall be paid to the Lessee forthwith upon receipt by such Indemnified Person.

The Lessee covenants and agrees to pay all amounts due under this § 6 free of any Taxes and to indemnify each Indemnified Person against any Taxes imposed by reason of any payment made by the Lessee so that the Indemnified Person to whom or for whose benefit the payment is made shall receive an amount which, net of any Taxes or other charges required to be paid by such Indemnified Person in respect thereof, shall be equal to the amount of payment otherwise required hereunder.

In the event that the Lessee becomes liable for the payment or reimbursement of any Taxes pursuant to this § 6,

such liability shall continue, notwithstanding the expiration of this Lease, until all such Taxes are paid or reimbursed by the Lessee.

§ 7. PAYMENT FOR CASUALTY OCCURRENCES; INSURANCE

7.1. Definition of Casualty Occurrence; Payments.

In the event that any Unit of Equipment shall be or become worn out, lost, stolen, destroyed, or, in the opinion of the Lessee, irreparably damaged, from any cause whatsoever during the term of this Lease or any renewal term hereof or until such Unit is returned pursuant to § 14 or 17 hereof, or RMC's Purchase Price of any Unit shall have been refunded by the Builder of such Unit pursuant to the terms of its patent indemnity therefor or any Unit shall be taken or requisitioned by condemnation or otherwise by the United States Government for a stated period which shall exceed the then remaining term of this Lease or by any other governmental entity resulting in loss of possession by the Lessee for a period of 90 consecutive days during the term of this Lease or during any renewal term hereof (such occurrences being hereinafter called "Casualty Occurrences"), the Lessee shall promptly and fully notify the Trustee and the Vendor with respect thereto by providing an officer's certificate as to such Occurrence. On the next succeeding rental payment date (each such date being hereinafter called a "Casualty Payment Date"), the Lessee shall pay to the Trustee a sum equal to the Casualty Value (as defined in § 7.5 hereof) of any such Unit as of such Casualty Payment Date, plus the rental in respect of such Unit accrued as of such rental payment date. Upon the making of such payment by the Lessee in respect of any Unit, the rental for such Unit shall cease to accrue, the term of this Lease as to such Unit shall terminate and (except in the case of the loss, theft, complete destruction or return to the Builder of such Unit) the Trustee shall be entitled to recover possession of such Unit.

In addition to the occurrences constituting a Casualty Occurrence under the preceding paragraph, if any Unit shall have been taken or requisitioned by the United States Government or any other governmental entity and such taking or requisition shall not theretofore constitute a Casualty Occurrence as aforesaid, such taking or requisition shall be deemed a Casualty Occurrence if the same shall be continuing at the end of the term of this Lease, in which event the Lessee shall promptly and fully notify the Trustee

with respect thereto and pay the Trustee, as the Casualty Value therefor, an amount equal to 22.2297% of the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit. Following such payment, the Lessee shall be entitled to receive condemnation payments in respect of such Unit up to an amount equal to such Casualty Value and any balance of such payments shall be the property of the Trustee. In the event such Unit shall be returned by the governmental entity prior to the time the Lessee shall have been reimbursed by such application of condemnation payments in an amount equal to such Casualty Value, then the Lessee shall dispose of such Unit as agent for the Trustee, and shall retain the proceeds of such disposition to the extent that the aggregate of the amounts so retained and the condemnation payments theretofore received by the Lessee shall equal such Casualty Value, and the balance of such proceeds shall be promptly paid to the Trustee. In the event such Unit shall be returned by the governmental entity following the time the Lessee shall have been reimbursed by such application of condemnation payments in an amount equal to such Casualty Value, such Unit shall be returned by the Lessee to the Trustee in the manner provided in § 17 hereof.

Whenever any Unit shall suffer a Casualty Occurrence after termination of this Lease at the expiration of the original or extended term hereof and before such Unit shall have been returned in the manner provided in § 17 hereof, the Lessee shall promptly and fully notify the Trustee with respect thereto and pay to the Trustee an amount equal to the Casualty Value of such Unit, which shall be 22.2297% of the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit (unless such termination occurs after the term of this Lease has been extended pursuant to § 16 hereof, in which case the amount of such Casualty Value shall be as agreed upon between the Trustee and the Lessee at the time of such extension). Upon the making of any such payment by the Lessee in respect of any Unit (except in the case of the loss, theft or complete destruction of such Unit), the Trustee shall be entitled to recover possession of such Unit.

7.2. Requisition by United States Government. In the event of the requisition for use by the United States Government of any Unit for a period which does not exceed the term of this Lease or for an indefinite period (except where deemed a Casualty Occurrence pursuant to the last paragraph of § 7.1 hereof), all of the Lessee's obligations under this Lease with respect to such Unit shall continue to the same extent as if such requisition had not occurred. All payments received by the Trustee or the Lessee from the United States Government for the use of such Unit during the term of this

Lease shall be paid over to, or retained by, the Lessee provided no Event of Default (or other event which after notice or lapse of time or both would become an Event of Default) shall have occurred and be continuing.

7.3. Lessee Agent for Disposal. The Trustee hereby appoints the Lessee its agent to dispose of any Unit suffering a Casualty Occurrence or any component thereof before and after expiration of the Lease, at the best price obtainable on an "as is, where is" basis. Provided that the Lessee has previously paid the Casualty Value to the Trustee, the Lessee shall be entitled to the proceeds of such sale to the extent they do not exceed the Casualty Value of such Unit and shall pay any excess to the Trustee.

7.4. Payments After Expiration of Lease. If the date upon which the making of the payment by the Lessee in § 7.1 hereof in respect of any Unit is required as aforesaid shall be after the term of this Lease or any renewal term thereof in respect of such Unit has expired, no rental for such Unit shall accrue after the end of such term.

7.5. Amount of Casualty Value. The Casualty Value of each Unit as of the Casualty Payment Date on which payment is to be made as aforesaid shall be an amount equal to that percentage of the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit as is set forth in Appendix B hereto opposite the rental payment date next succeeding the actual date of such Casualty Occurrence, or if there is no such rental payment date, the last rental payment date; but in no event shall such amount be less than the "Casualty Value" (as defined in paragraph 7.3 of the CSA) as of such rental payment date.

7.6. No Release. Except as hereinabove in this § 7 provided, the Lessee shall not be released from its obligations hereunder in the event of, and shall bear the risk of, any Casualty Occurrence to any Unit from and after delivery and acceptance thereof by the Lessee hereunder.

7.7. Insurance To Be Maintained. (1) The Lessee (i) will at all times prior to the return of the Units to the Trustee, at its own expense, cause to be carried and maintained public liability insurance with respect to third party personal injury and property damage (provided in no event shall such public liability insurance provide coverage of less than \$1,000,000 with respect to such third party personal injury and property damage) and (ii) may, at its option, cause to be carried and maintained property insurance in respect of the Units at the time subject hereto; provided, however, that if, in the reasonable opinion of the Trustee or the Vendor,

the Lessee's or the Guarantor's financial condition has materially and adversely changed from its condition as of the date hereof such that property insurance on such Units is required to assure the Lessee's or the Guarantor's, as the case may be, ability to meet its obligations under this Lease, the Trustee or the Vendor shall so notify the Lessee and the Lessee shall promptly arrange for insurance to be carried and maintained on such Units. The Lessee will carry such insurance in such amounts, for such risks, with such deductibles and with such insurance companies, satisfactory to the Trustee and the Vendor and in any event consistent with prudent industry practice and at least comparable in amounts and against risks customarily insured against by the Lessee in respect of equipment owned or leased by it similar in nature to the Units. The proceeds of any such insurance shall be payable to the Vendor, the Trustee and the Lessee, as their respective interests may appear, so long as the indebtedness, if any, evidenced by the CSA shall not have been paid in full, and thereafter to the Trustee, and, so long as there is no Event of Default hereunder, the Lessee as their respective interests may appear. Any policies of insurance carried in accordance with this paragraph shall (i) require 30 days' prior notice of cancelation or material change in coverage to the Owner and the Vendor, (ii) name the Trustee and the Vendor as additional named insureds as their respective interests may appear and (iii) waive any right to claim any premiums or commissions against the Owner, the Trustee and the Vendor. In the event such policies shall contain breach of warranty provisions such policies shall provide that in respect of the interests of the Trustee and the Vendor in such policies the insurance shall not require contributions from other policies held by the Trustee, the Owner or the Vendor and shall not be invalidated by any action or inaction of the Lessee or any other person (other than the Trustee and the Vendor, respectively) and shall insure the Trustee and the Vendor regardless of any breach or violation of any warranty, declaration or condition contained in such policies by the Lessee or by any other person (other than the Trustee or the Vendor, respectively). Prior to the first date of delivery of any Unit pursuant to the CSA, and thereafter not less than 15 days prior to the expiration dates of the expiring policies theretofore delivered pursuant to this § 7, the Lessee shall deliver to the Owner (i) certificates issued by the insurer(s) for the insurance maintained pursuant to this § 7 and (ii) copies of any such insurance policies; provided, however, that if the delivery of any certificate is delayed, the Lessee shall deliver an executed binder with respect thereto and shall deliver the certificate upon receipt thereof.

(2) In the event that the Lessee shall fail to maintain insurance as herein provided, the Owner may at its option provide such insurance (giving the Lessee prompt written notice thereof) and, in such event, the Lessee shall, upon demand from time to time, reimburse the Owner for the cost thereof together with interest, on the amount of the cost to the Owner of such insurance which the Lessee shall have failed to maintain, at the rate per annum specified in § 19 hereof.

(3) Notwithstanding the above, the Owner may, at its option and expense, provide casualty insurance in amounts which are in excess of the Casualty Value and which policies may name the Owner as the loss payee. If the Owner exercises said option, then the Lessee will cooperate with the reasonable requests of the Owner so as to effect this insurance coverage; it being understood that any insured coverage under this subparagraph (3) is expressly within the Owner's option and in no way relieves the Lessee from any of its responsibilities under this § 7.7.

7.8. Insurance Proceeds and Condemnation Payments.
If the Trustee shall receive (directly or from the Vendor) any insurance proceeds or condemnation payments in respect of such Units suffering a Casualty Occurrence, the Trustee shall pay such proceeds or condemnation payments to the Lessee up to an amount equal to the Casualty Value with respect to any Unit theretofore paid by the Lessee and any balance of such proceeds or condemnation payments shall remain the property of the Trustee, provided that no Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing and the Lessee shall have made payment of the Casualty Value thereof, and accrued rentals in respect of such Units, to the Trustee. Provided no Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing and Lessee shall have made payment of the Casualty Value thereof, the Lessee may retain all payments made to it in accordance with Rule 107 of the Interchange Rules of the Association of American Railroads. All insurance proceeds received by the Trustee (directly or from the Vendor) in respect of any Unit not suffering a Casualty Occurrence shall be paid to the Lessee upon proof satisfactory to the Trustee that any damage to such Unit in respect of which such proceeds were paid has been fully repaired.

§ 8. REPORTS

On or before March 31 in each year, commencing with the calendar year 1980, the Lessee will furnish to the Trustee and the Vendor an accurate statement (a) setting forth as at the preceding December 31 the total number, description and identification numbers of all Units then leased hereunder and covered by the CSA, the total number, description and identification numbers of all Units that have suffered a Casualty Occurrence during the preceding calendar year or are then undergoing repairs (other than running repairs) or then withdrawn from use pending repairs (other than running repairs) and setting forth such other information regarding the condition and state of repair of the Units as the Trustee or the Vendor may reasonably request, (b) stating that, in the case of all Units repainted or repaired during the period covered by such statement, the numbers and markings required by § 5.1 hereof and by the CSA have been preserved or replaced and (c) further stating that the Lessee is in compliance under the Lease and has performed or has caused to be performed the required maintenance of the Units and that no event has occurred which with the lapse of time or notice or both would constitute an Event of Default. On or before March 31 and September 30 in each year, commencing with the calendar year 1980, the Lessee will furnish to the Trustee and the Vendor an accurate statement as to the location of the Units by state. The Trustee, the Vendor and the Owner shall each have the right by its agents to inspect the Units and the Lessee's records with respect thereto at such reasonable times as the Trustee, the Vendor or the Owner may request during the continuance of this Lease.

§ 9. DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES

THE TRUSTEE DOES NOT MAKE, HAS NOT MADE AND SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO MAKE OR HAVE MADE ANY WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE DESIGN OR CONDITION OF, OR AS TO THE QUALITY OF THE MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT OR WORKMANSHIP IN, THE UNITS DELIVERED TO THE LESSEE HEREUNDER, AND THE TRUSTEE DOES NOT MAKE ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS OF THE UNITS FOR ANY PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR AS TO TITLE TO THE UNITS OR ANY COMPONENT THEREOF, NOR ANY OTHER REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, WITH RESPECT TO ANY UNIT, EITHER UPON DELIVERY THEREOF TO THE LESSEE OR OTHERWISE, it being agreed that all such risks, as between the Trustee and the Lessee, are to be borne by the Lessee; but the Trustee hereby irrevocably appoints and constitutes

the Lessee its agent and attorney-in-fact during the term of this Lease to assert and enforce from time to time, in the name of and for the account of the Trustee and/or the Lessee, as their interests may appear, at the Lessee's sole cost and expense, whatever claims and rights the Trustee may have against the Builder and/or RMC under the provisions of Items 3 and 4 of Annex A of the CSA; provided, however, that if at any time an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing, the Trustee may assert and enforce, at the Lessee's sole cost and expense, such claims and rights. The Trustee shall have no responsibility or liability to the Lessee or any other person with respect to any of the following: (i) any liability, loss or damage caused or alleged to be caused directly or indirectly by any Units or by any inadequacy thereof or deficiency or defect therein or by any other circumstances in connection therewith; (ii) the use, operation or performance of any Units or any risks relating thereto; (iii) any interruption of service, loss of business or anticipated profits or consequential damages; or (iv) the delivery, operation, servicing, maintenance, repair, improvement or replacement of any Units. The Lessee's delivery of a Certificate of Acceptance shall be conclusive evidence as between the Lessee and the Trustee that the Units described therein are in all the foregoing respects satisfactory to the Lessee, and the Lessee will not assert any claim of any nature whatsoever against the Trustee or the Vendor based on any of the foregoing matters.

§ 10. LAWS AND RULES

10.1. Compliance. The Lessee agrees, for the benefit of the Trustee and the Vendor, to comply in all respects (including, without limitation, with respect to the use, maintenance and operation of each Unit) with all laws of the jurisdictions in which its operations involving the Units may extend, with the interchange rules of the Association of American Railroads and with all lawful rules of the United States Department of Transportation, the Interstate Commerce Commission and any other legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body exercising any power or jurisdiction over the Units, to the extent that such laws and rules affect the title, operation or use of the Units, and in the event that such laws or rules require any alteration, replacement or addition of or to any part on any Unit, the Lessee will conform therewith at its own expense; provided, however, that the Lessee may at its own expense, in good faith, contest the validity or application of any such law or rule in any reasonable manner which does not, in the opinion of the Trustee

or the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Trustee or the Vendor under this Lease or under the CSA.

10.2. Reports by Trustee. The Lessee agrees to prepare and deliver to the Trustee and the Vendor within a reasonable time prior to the required date of filing (or, to the extent permissible, file on behalf of the Trustee and the Vendor) any and all reports (other than income tax returns) to be filed by the Trustee with any Federal, state or other regulatory authority by reason of the ownership by the Trustee or the Vendor of the Units or the leasing thereof to the Lessee.

§ 11. MAINTENANCE

11.1. Units in Good Operating Order. The Lessee has agreed that, at its own cost and expense, it will maintain and keep each Unit (including any parts installed on or replacements made to any Unit and considered an accession thereto as hereinbelow provided) which is subject to this Lease in good operating order, repair and condition, ordinary wear and tear excepted, and eligible for railroad interchange in accordance with the interchange rules of the American Association of Railroads or other applicable regulatory body, and in at least the same condition as other similar Equipment owned or leased by the Lessee. Upon the expiration of the term of this Lease, the maintenance logs, if any, kept by the Lessee shall be turned over to the Trustee.

11.2. Additions and Accessions. (1) Except as set forth in §§ 10.1 and 11.1 hereof, the Lessee, at its own cost and expense, may from time to time make such other additions, modifications and improvements to the Units during the term of this Lease as are readily removable without causing material damage to the Units (and do not adversely and materially affect the value of the Units). The additions, modifications and improvements made by the Lessee under the preceding sentence shall be owned by the Lessee, except to the extent such additions, modifications or improvements are made in order to comply with § 11.2(2) hereof.

(2) Any and all parts installed on and additions and replacements made to any Unit (i) which are not readily removable without causing material damage to such Unit and were installed or were added to such Unit in contravention of its agreements contained in § 11.2(1) hereof, (ii) the cost of which is included in the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit, (iii) in the course of ordinary maintenance of the

Units or (iv) which are required for the operation or use of such Unit in railroad interchange by the interchange rules of the Association of American Railroads or by the regulations of the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Department of Transportation or any other applicable regulatory body, shall constitute accessions to such Unit and full ownership thereof free from any lien, charge, security interest or encumbrance (except for those created by the CSA) shall immediately be vested in the Trustee and the Vendor as their respective interests may appear in the Unit itself.

§ 12. INDEMNIFICATION

12.1. Indemnified Persons. The Lessee shall pay, and shall protect, indemnify and hold harmless the Trustee (in both its individual and fiduciary capacities), the Owner, the Vendor and any assignee thereof, and their respective successors, assigns, agents and servants ("Indemnified Persons"), from and against any and all causes of action, suits, penalties, claims, demands or judgments of any nature whatsoever which may be imposed on, incurred by or asserted against any Indemnified Person (including any or all liabilities, obligations, damages, costs, disbursements, expenses (including without limitation attorneys' fees and expenses of any Indemnified Person) relating thereto) in any way relating to or arising, or alleged to arise out of this Lease, the CSA or the Units, including without limitation those in any way relating to or arising or alleged to arise out of: (i) the manufacture, construction, purchase, acceptance, rejection, ownership, delivery, nondelivery, lease, possession, use, operation, condition, sale, return or other disposition of any Unit or portion thereof; (ii) any latent and other defects whether or not discoverable by the Trustee, the Vendor or the Lessee; (iii) any claim for patent, trademark or copyright infringement; (iv) any claims based on strict liability in tort; (v) any injury to or the death of any person or any damage to or loss of property on or near the Units or in any manner growing out of or concerned with, or alleged to grow out of or be connected with, the ownership, use, replacement, adaptation or maintenance of the Units or of any other equipment in connection with the Units (whether owned or under the control of the Trustee, the Lessee or any other person) or resulting or alleged to result from the condition of any thereof; (vi) any violation, or alleged violation, of any provision of this Lease or of any agreement, law, rule, regulation, ordinance or restriction, affecting or applicable to the Units or the leasing, ownership, use, replacement, adaptation or maintenance thereof, except to the

extent any such violation arises from the gross negligence or wilful misconduct of the Trustee; or (vii) any claim arising out of any of the Trustee's obligations under the Lease Assignment or the Vendor's retention of a security interest under the CSA or the Lease Assignment or the Participation Agreement, except to the extent such claim arises from the gross negligence or wilful misconduct of the Trustee. The Lessee shall be obligated under this § 12.1, irrespective of whether any Indemnified Person shall also be indemnified with respect to the same matter under any other agreement by any other person, and the Indemnified Person seeking to enforce the indemnification may proceed directly against the Lessee under this § 12.1 without first resorting to any such other rights of indemnification. In case any action, suit or proceeding is brought against any Indemnified Person in connection with any claim indemnified against hereunder, the Lessee may and, upon such Indemnified Person's request, will at the Lessee's expense resist and defend such action, suit or proceeding, or cause the same to be resisted or defended by counsel selected by the Lessee and approved by such Indemnified Person and, in the event of any failure by the Lessee to do so, the Lessee shall pay all costs and expenses (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and expenses) incurred by such Indemnified Person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding. In the event the Lessee is required to make any indemnification payment under this § 12, the Lessee shall pay such Indemnified Person an amount which, after deduction of all taxes required to be paid by such Indemnified Person in respect of the receipt thereof under the laws of the United States of America or of any political subdivision thereof (after giving credit for any savings in respect of any such taxes by reason of deductions, credits or allowances in respect of the payment of the expense indemnified against, and of any other such taxes as determined in the sole discretion of the Indemnified Person), shall be equal to the amount of such payment. The Lessee and the Trustee each agrees to give each other promptly upon obtaining knowledge thereof written notice of any claim or liability hereby indemnified against. Upon the payment in full of any indemnities as contained in this § 12 by the Lessee, and provided that no Event of Default (or other event which with lapse of time or notice or both would constitute an Event of Default) shall have occurred and be continuing, the Lessee shall be subrogated to any right of such Indemnified Person (except against another Indemnified Person) in respect of the matter against which indemnity has been given. After an Indemnified Person has been fully indemnified with respect to a claim pursuant to this § 12, such Indemnified Person hereby assigns to the Lessee its rights to proceed against all persons

other than Indemnified Persons as to such claim. The Lessee shall have the right to control the prosecution and defense of each claim involving such third parties, and each Indemnified Person shall cooperate reasonably with prosecution thereof. Any payments received by such Indemnified Person from any person (except the Lessee) as a result of any matter with respect to which such Indemnified Person has been indemnified by the Lessee pursuant to this § 12.1 shall be paid over to the Lessee to the extent necessary to reimburse the Lessee for indemnification payments previously made. Nothing in this § 12.1 shall constitute a guarantee by the Lessee of the CSA Indebtedness of the Trustee under the CSA or a guarantee of the residual value of any Unit.

12.2. Indemnification of RMC and Builder. The Lessee further agrees to indemnify, protect and hold harmless RMC and the Builder as third party beneficiaries hereof from and against any and all liability, claims, costs, charges and expenses, including royalty payments and counsel fees, in any manner imposed upon or accruing against RMC or the Builder because of the use in or about the construction or operation of any Units of the Equipment of any article or material specified by the Lessee and not manufactured by the Builder or of any design, system, process, formula or combination specified by the Lessee and not developed or purported to be developed by the Builder which infringes or is claimed to infringe on any patent or other right. The Lessee will give notice to the Builder of any claim known to the Lessee from which liability may be charged against the Builder hereunder or under the CSA.

12.3. Survival. The indemnities contained in this § 12 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Lease with respect to all events, facts, conditions or other circumstances occurring or existing prior to such expiration or termination and are expressly made for the benefit of, and shall be enforceable by, any Indemnified Person. None of the indemnities in this § 12 shall be deemed to create any rights of subrogation in any insurer or third party against the Lessee therefor, from or under any Indemnified Person, whether because of any claim paid or defense provided for the benefit thereof or otherwise.

§ 13. DEFAULT

13.1. Events of Default; Remedies. If, during the continuance of this Lease or any extension or renewal thereof, one or more of the following events (each such event being

herein sometimes called an "Event of Default") shall occur:

(A) (1) default shall be made in payment of any amount provided for in § 3 hereof, and such default shall continue for 5 days; or (2) default shall be made in payment of any amount provided in § 7 or 17 hereof, and such default shall continue for 15 days after written notice from the Trustee or the Vendor to the Lessee thereof;

(B) the Lessee or the Guarantor shall make or permit any unauthorized assignment or transfer of this Lease, or any interest herein, or of the right to possession of the Units, or any thereof;

(C) default shall be made in the observance or performance of any other covenant, condition or agreement on the part of the Lessee or the Guarantor contained herein, in the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement (as defined in the Participation Agreement) and such default shall continue for 20 days after written notice from the Trustee or the Vendor to the Lessee specifying the default and demanding that the same be remedied;

(D) any representation or warranty made by the Lessee or the Guarantor herein, in the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement or in any certificate or statement furnished to the Trustee or the Owner pursuant to or in connection with any such agreement proves untrue in any material respect as of the date of issuance or making thereof;

(E) a petition for reorganization under Title 11 of the United States Code, as now constituted or as may hereafter be amended, shall be filed by or against the Lessee or the Guarantor and, unless such petition shall have been dismissed, nullified, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Lessee and the Guarantor under this Lease and the Consent (as defined in the CSA) shall not have been and shall not continue to have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees appointed (whether or not subject to ratification) in such proceedings in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such trustee or trustees, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 90 days after such petition shall have been filed, whichever shall be earlier;

(F) any other proceedings shall be commenced by or against the Lessee or the Guarantor for any relief which includes, or might result in, any modification of the obligations of the Lessee hereunder under any bankruptcy or insolvency laws, or laws relating to the relief of debtors, readjustments of indebtedness, reorganizations, arrangements, compositions or extensions (other than a law which does not permit any readjustments of the obligations of the Lessee or the Guarantor hereunder or under the Consent), and, unless such proceedings shall have been dismissed, nullified, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Lessee and the Guarantor under this Lease shall not have been and shall not continue to have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers appointed (whether or not subject to ratification) for the Lessee or the Guarantor or for the property of the Lessee or the Guarantor in connection with any such proceedings in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 90 days after such proceedings shall have been commenced, whichever shall be earlier;

(G) the Vendor shall not be entitled to apply the rental payments of this Lease pursuant to the Consent;

(H) the Lessee shall cease to be a wholly owned subsidiary of the Guarantor; or

(I) the Lessee shall default in the maintenance of public liability insurance described in § 7.7 hereof;

then, in any such case, the Trustee, at its option, may:

(a) proceed by appropriate court action or actions either at law or in equity, to enforce performance by the Lessee of the applicable covenants of this Lease or to recover damages for the breach thereof; or

(b) by notice in writing to the Lessee terminate this Lease, whereupon all rights of the Lessee to the use of the Units shall absolutely cease and terminate as though this Lease had never been made, but the Lessee shall remain liable as herein provided; and thereupon the Trustee may by its agents enter upon the premises of the Lessee or other premises, insofar as the Lessee

may be lawfully authorized to so permit, where any of the Units may be located, without judicial process if this can be done without breach of the peace and in accordance with due process of law, and take possession of all or any of such Units and thenceforth hold, possess and enjoy the same free from any right of the Lessee, or its successors or assigns, to use the Units for any purposes whatever; but the Trustee shall, nevertheless, have a right to recover from the Lessee any and all amounts which under the terms of this Lease may be then due or which may have accrued to the date of such termination (computing the rental for any number of days less than a full rental period by multiplying the rental for such full rental period by a fraction of which the numerator is such number of days and the denominator is the total number of days in such full rental period) and also to recover forthwith from the Lessee as liquidated damages for loss of the bargain and not as a penalty whichever of the following amounts that the Trustee, in its sole discretion shall specify, (i) the sum, with respect to each Unit, which represents (x) the excess of the present value, at the time of such termination, of the entire unpaid balance of all rentals for such Unit which would otherwise have accrued hereunder from the date of such termination to the end of the term of this Lease as to such Unit, such present value to be computed on the basis of a 7.17% per annum discount, compounded semiannually from the respective dates upon which rentals would have been payable hereunder had this Lease not been terminated over the then present value of the rental which the Trustee reasonably estimates to be obtainable for each Unit during such period, such present value to be computed on the basis of a 7.17% per annum discount, compounded semiannually from the respective dates upon which rentals would have been payable hereunder had this Lease not been terminated or, if such Unit is sold, the net proceeds of the sale plus (y) any damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, in addition thereto which the Trustee shall have sustained by reason of the breach of any covenant, representation or warranty of this Lease other than for the payment of rental or (ii) an amount equal to the excess, if any, of the Casualty Value applicable on the rental payment date on or next preceding the date of termination over the amount the Trustee reasonably estimates to be the sales value of such Unit at such time; provided, however, that in the event the Trustee shall have sold any Unit, the Trustee, in lieu of collecting any amounts payable by the Lessee pursuant to the preceding clause (ii) with respect to such Unit, may,

if it shall so elect, demand that the Lessee pay the Trustee and the Lessee shall pay to the Trustee on the date of such sale, as liquidated damages for loss of a bargain and not as a penalty, an amount equal to the excess, if any, of the Casualty Value for such Unit applicable on the rental payment date on or next preceding the date of termination over the net proceeds of such sale.

13.2. Remedies Not Exclusive; Waiver. The remedies in this Lease provided in favor of the Trustee shall not be deemed exclusive, but shall be cumulative and may be exercised concurrently or consecutively, and shall be in addition to all other remedies in its favor existing at law or in equity. The Lessee hereby waives any mandatory requirements of law, now or hereafter in effect, which might limit or modify the remedies herein provided, to the extent that such waiver is not, at the time in question, prohibited by law. The Lessee hereby waives any and all existing or future claims to any offset against the rental payments due hereunder, and agrees to make such payments regardless of any offset or claim which may be asserted by the Lessee or on its behalf.

13.3. Failure To Exercise Rights Is Not Waiver. The failure of the Trustee to exercise the rights granted it hereunder upon the occurrence of any of the contingencies set forth herein shall not constitute a waiver of any such right upon the continuation or recurrence of any such contingencies or similar contingencies.

13.4. Notice of Event of Default. The Lessee agrees to furnish the Trustee, the Owner and the Vendor, promptly upon any responsible officer becoming aware of any condition which constituted or constitutes an Event of Default under this Lease or which, after notice or lapse of time, or both, would constitute such an Event of Default, written notice specifying such condition and the nature and status thereof. For the purposes of this § 13.4, a "responsible officer" shall mean, with respect to the subject matter of any covenant, agreement or obligation of the Lessee in this Lease contained, any corporate officer of the Lessee who, in the normal performance of his operational responsibilities, would have knowledge of such matter and the requirements of this Lease with respect thereto.

§ 14. RETURN OF UNITS UPON DEFAULT

14.1. Return of Units. If this Lease shall terminate pursuant to § 13 hereof or pursuant to Article 16 of

the CSA, the Lessee shall forthwith deliver possession of the Units to the Trustee. Each Unit so delivered shall be in the same operating order, repair and condition as when originally delivered to the Lessee, ordinary wear and tear excepted, and eligible for railroad interchange in accordance with the interchange rules of the American Association of Railroads or other applicable regulatory body, and shall have attached or affixed thereto any special device considered an accession thereto as provided in § 11 and shall have removed therefrom at the Lessee's expense any addition, modification or improvement which, as provided in § 11, is owned by the Lessee. For the purpose of delivering possession of any Unit or Units as above required, the Lessee shall at its own cost, expense and risk:

(a) forthwith and in the usual manner (including, but not by way of limitation, giving prompt telegraphic and written notice to the Association of American Railroads and all railroads to which any Unit or Units have been interchanged or which may have possession thereof to return the Unit or Units) and at the usual speed place such Units upon such storage tracks as the Trustee reasonably may designate;

(b) cause such Units to be stored on such tracks at the risk of the Lessee without charge for insurance, rent or storage until all such Units have been sold, leased or otherwise disposed of by the Trustee; and

(c) cause the same to be transported to any reasonable place as directed by the Trustee.

The assembling, delivery, storage, insurance and transporting of the Units as hereinbefore provided shall be at the expense and risk of the Lessee and are of the essence of this Lease, and upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises the Trustee shall be entitled to a decree against the Lessee requiring specific performance of the covenants of the Lessee so to assemble, deliver, store and transport the Units. During any storage period, the Lessee will, at its own cost and expense, maintain and keep the Equipment in good order and repair and will permit the Trustee or any person designated by it, including the authorized representative or representatives of any prospective purchaser, lessee or user of any such Unit, to inspect the same. All amounts earned in respect of the Units after the date of termination of this Lease shall belong to the Trustee and, if received by the Lessee, shall be promptly turned over to the Trustee (and the obligation of the Lessee hereunder to pay the ~~amounts~~ referred to in § 13.1 ~~shall~~ hereof shall be reduced by any such amounts

(b)

liquidated
damages
RCC

turned over to the Trustee). In the event any Unit is not assembled, delivered and stored, as hereinabove provided, within 30 days after such termination, the Lessee shall, in addition, pay to the Trustee for each day thereafter an amount equal to the amount, if any, by which that percentage of the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit for each such day obtained by dividing the basic lease rate as set forth in § 3.1 hereof for each quarterly payment for such Unit by 90 exceeds the actual earnings received by the Trustee on such Unit for each such day; such payment shall not offset the obligation of the Lessee to redeliver the Equipment pursuant to the first sentence of this paragraph.

14.2. Trustee Appointed Agent of Lessee. Without in any way limiting the obligation of the Lessee under the foregoing provisions of this § 14, the Lessee hereby irrevocably appoints the Trustee as the agent and attorney of the Lessee, with full power and authority, at any time while the Lessee is obligated to deliver possession of any Unit to the Trustee, to demand and take possession of such Unit in the name and on behalf of the Lessee from whosoever shall be in possession of such Unit at the time.

§ 15. ASSIGNMENT, POSSESSION AND USE

15.1. Assignment; Consent. This Lease shall be assignable in whole or in part by the Trustee upon prior written consent of the Lessee, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Lessee hereby consents to the assignment of this Lease pursuant to the Lease Assignment.

15.2. Lessee's Rights To Use the Units, To Permit Use Thereof by Others and To Sublease the Units. (1) So long as no Event of Default exists hereunder and no event of default exists under the CSA, the Lessee shall be entitled to the possession and use of the Units in accordance with the terms of this Lease and the CSA. Without the prior written consent of the Trustee and the Vendor, the Lessee shall not assign or transfer its leasehold interest under this Lease in the Units or any of them except as provided in paragraph (2) below of this § 15.2; and the Lessee shall not, without the prior written consent of the Trustee and the Vendor, part with the possession or control of, or suffer or allow to pass out of its possession or control, any of the Units, except to the extent permitted by the provisions of paragraph (2) of this § 15.2. The Lessee, at its own expense, will promptly pay or discharge any and all sums claimed by any party which, if unpaid, might become a

lien, charge, security interest or other encumbrance (other than an encumbrance created by the Trustee or the Vendor or resulting from claims against the Trustee or the Vendor not related to the ownership of the Units or any encumbrance on the leasehold estate of the Lessee which is subject and subordinate to the interests of the Trustee and the Vendor) upon or with respect to any Unit, including any accession thereto, or the interest of the Trustee, the Vendor or the Lessee therein, and will promptly discharge any such lien, claim, security interest or other encumbrance which arises.

(2) So long as no Event of Default exists hereunder and no event of default exists under the CSA, the Lessee shall be entitled to the possession and use of the Units by it or any affiliate upon lines of railroad owned or operated by it or any such affiliate or upon lines of railroad over which the Lessee or any such affiliate has trackage or other operating rights or over which railroad equipment of the Lessee or any such affiliate is regularly operated pursuant to contract and shall be entitled to permit the use of the Units upon connecting and other carriers in the usual interchange of traffic or pursuant to run-through agreements and to assign its rights to the Units or to sublease the Units, but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Lease and the CSA; provided, however, that the Lessee shall not assign, sublease or permit the assignment, sublease or use of any Unit predominantly outside the United States of America within the meaning of Section 48(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended to the date hereof, nor shall the Lessee assign or sublease to, or permit the sublease or use of the Units by, any person in whose hands such Units would not qualify as "section 38 property" within the meaning of said Code. The Lessee may receive and retain compensation for the use of any of the Units from railroads or other entities so using such Units. Any sublease permitted by this paragraph may provide that the sublessee, so long as it shall not be in default under such sublease, shall be entitled to the possession of the Units included in such sublease and the use thereof; provided, however, that every such sublease shall be subordinate to the rights and remedies of the Vendor under the CSA and the Trustee under this Lease in respect of the Units covered by such sublease upon the occurrence of an event of default thereunder or an Event of Default hereunder.

§ 16. RENEWAL OPTIONS

16.1. Renewal for Successive Period. The parties hereto contemplate that at the end of the original term of

this Lease, the Trustee will hold the Units for release. Prior to the delivery of the Units pursuant to § 2 hereof, the Trustee will enter into an agreement (the "Option") with Tiger Financial Services, Inc. ("Tiger"), pursuant to which the Trustee will grant to Tiger the option to lease all but not fewer than all of the Units for a five-year term commencing at the end of the original term of this Lease on which terms as are set forth in the Option. Provided that this Lease has not been earlier terminated and the Lessee is not in default hereunder, if Tiger shall fail to exercise its option to lease the Units at the end of the original term of this Lease, then the Lessee may by written notice delivered to the Trustee not less than 180 days nor more than 270 days prior to the end of the original term of this Lease in respect of the Units still subject to this Lease, elect to extend such original term of this Lease in respect of all but not less than all the Units then covered by this Lease for a period of five years or such other time acceptable to both the Lessee and Trustee commencing on the scheduled expiration of such original term of this Lease, at a "Fair Market Rental" payable, in arrears, in quarterly payments on the month and day such rentals were payable for the Units in each year of such extended term. In the event of any such renewal, the Casualty Value payable in respect of a Casualty Occurrence involving any Unit shall be as set forth in Appendix B hereto.

16.2. Determination of Fair Market Rental.

(1) Fair Market Rental shall be determined for each extended term of this Lease on the basis of, and shall be equal in amount to, the rental which would obtain in an arm's-length transaction between an informed and willing lessee (other than a lessee currently in possession) and an informed and willing lessor under no compulsion to lease and, in such determination, costs of removal from the location of current use shall not be a deduction from such rental.

(2) If, after 45 days from the giving of notice by the Lessee of the Lessee's election to extend the term of this Lease, the Trustee and the Lessee are unable to agree upon a determination of the Fair Market Rental of the Units, such rental shall be determined in accordance with the foregoing definition by the following procedure: If either party to such determination shall have given written notice to the other requesting determination of such value by this appraisal procedure, the parties shall consult for the purpose of appointing a qualified independent appraiser by mutual agreement. If no such appraiser is so appointed within 20 days after such notice is given, each party shall appoint an

independent appraiser within 25 days after such notice is given, and the two appraisers so appointed shall within 35 days after such notice is given appoint a third independent appraiser. If no such third appraiser is appointed within 35 days after such notice is given, either party may apply, to make such appointment, to the American Arbitration Association, and both parties shall be bound by any appointment so made. Any appraiser or appraisers appointed pursuant to the foregoing procedure shall be instructed to determine the Fair Market Rental of the Units subject to the proposed extended term within 90 days after his or their appointment. If the parties shall have appointed a single appraiser or if either party shall have failed to appoint an appraiser, the determination of Fair Market Rental of the single appraiser appointed shall be final. If three appraisers shall be appointed, the determination of the appraiser which differs most from the other two appraisers shall be excluded, the remaining two determinations shall be averaged and such latter average shall be final and binding upon the parties hereto as the Fair Market Rental. The appraisal proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association as in effect on the date hereof, except as modified hereby. The provision for this appraisal procedure shall be the exclusive means of determining Fair Market Rental and shall be in lieu of any judicial or other procedure for the determination thereof, and each party hereto hereby consents and agrees not to assert any judicial or other procedures. The expenses of the appraisal procedure shall be borne by the Lessee.

§ 17. RETURN OF UNITS UPON EXPIRATION OF TERM

As soon as practicable on or after the expiration of the original or any extended term of this Lease with respect to any Unit, and in any event not later than 90 days thereafter, the Lessee will, at its own cost and expense, deliver possession of such Unit to the Trustee upon such storage tracks as the Lessee may reasonably designate, or, in the absence of such designation, as the Trustee may select, and permit the Trustee to store such Unit on such tracks for a period not exceeding three months from the date of delivery pursuant to this § 17 and transport the same upon disposition of the Units, at any time within such three-month period, to any reasonable place, or to any connecting carrier for shipment, all as directed by the Trustee, the movement and storage of such Units to be at the expense and risk of the Lessee. Upon delivery pursuant to the preceding sentence, the Lessee shall be absolved of any

further responsibility for such Units. During any such storage period the Lessee will permit the Trustee or any person designated by it, including the authorized representative or representatives of any prospective purchaser, lessee or user of such Unit, to inspect the same; provided, however, that the Lessee shall not be liable, except in the case of negligence of the Lessee or of its employees or agents, for any injury to, or the death of, any person exercising, either on behalf of the Trustee or any prospective purchaser, lessee or user, the rights of inspection granted under this sentence. Each Unit returned to the Trustee pursuant to this § 17 shall (i) be in the same operating order, repair and condition as when originally delivered to the Lessee, reasonable wear and tear excepted, (ii) meet the standards then in effect for railroad interchange in accordance with the interchange rules of the Association of American Railroads and/or the applicable rules of any governmental agency or other organization with jurisdiction and (iii) have attached or affixed thereto any special device considered an accession thereto as provided in § 11 hereof and have removed therefrom any such device not so considered an accession. The assembling, delivery, storage and transporting of the Units as hereinbefore provided are of the essence of this Lease, and upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises, the Trustee shall be entitled to a decree against the Lessee requiring specific performance of the covenants of the Lessee so to assemble, deliver, store and transport the Units. The Lessee shall be required to pay to the Trustee rent for each day any Unit is not so returned in an amount equal to .02612% multiplied by the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit for each day from the expiration of the Lease to the date such Unit is so returned. In the event any Unit is not assembled, delivered, stored and transported, as hereinabove provided, after such termination, the Lessee shall, in addition, pay to the Trustee for each day thereafter an amount equal to the amount, if any, by which that percentage of the Trustee's Purchase Price of such Unit for each such day obtained by dividing the basic lease rate as set forth in § 3.1 hereof for each quarterly payment for such Unit by 90 exceeds the actual earnings received by the Trustee on such Unit for each such day.

§ 18. RECORDING

The Lessee, at its own expense, will cause this Lease, the CSA, the CSA Assignment and the Lease Assignment to be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 11303. The Lessee will undertake the filing,

registering, deposit and recording required of the Trustee under the CSA. The Lessee in addition will from time to time do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register, record (and will refile, reregister, deposit and redeposit or rerecord whenever required) any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Trustee or the Vendor for the purpose of proper protection, to their satisfaction, of the Vendor's and the Trustee's respective interests in the Units, or for the purpose of carrying out the intention of this Lease, the CSA, the CSA Assignment and the Lease Assignment; and the Lessee will promptly furnish to the Vendor and the Trustee evidence of all such filing, registering, depositing or recording, and an opinion or opinions of counsel for the Lessee with respect thereto satisfactory to the Vendor and the Trustee. This Lease, the CSA, the CSA Assignment and the Lease Assignment shall be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 11303 prior to the delivery and acceptance hereunder of any Unit.

§ 19. INTEREST ON OVERDUE RENTALS

Anything to the contrary herein contained notwithstanding, any nonpayment of rentals and other obligations due hereunder shall result in the obligation on the part of the Lessee promptly to pay, to the extent legally enforceable, an amount equal to the higher of (i) interest at 12% per annum or (ii) interest at 3% above the rate of The Chase Manhattan Bank, National Association, in effect from time to time for prime commercial loans of 90-day maturities to its most substantial commercial customers of the overdue rentals and other obligations for the period of time during which they are overdue or such lesser amount as may be legally enforceable.

§ 20. TRUSTEE'S RIGHT TO PERFORM FOR THE LESSEE

If the Lessee fails to perform or comply with any of its agreements contained herein, the Trustee may upon notice to the Lessee perform or comply with such agreement, and the amount of the reasonable cost and expenses of the Trustee incurred in connection with such performance or compliance, together with interest on such amount in an amount equal to the higher of (i) interest at 12% per annum or (ii) interest at 3% above the rate of The Chase Manhattan Bank, National Association, in effect from time to time for prime commercial loans of 90-day maturities to its most substantial

commercial customers shall be payable by the Lessee upon demand, except as otherwise provided in this Lease. No such performance or compliance by the Trustee shall be deemed a waiver of the rights and remedies of the Trustee or any assignee of the Trustee against the Lessee hereunder.

§ 21. NOTICES

Any notice required or permitted to be given by either party hereto to the other shall be deemed to have been given when delivered, telexed or mailed, first class, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

(a) if to the Trustee, at 130 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690, attention of Corporate Trust Department, with a copy to ITT Industrial Credit Company, 230 Hamm Building, St. Paul, Minnesota 55102, attention of Vice President-Director of Leasing; and

(b) if to the Lessee or the Guarantor, at the offices of the Guarantor at 200 Kiewit Plaza, Omaha, Nebraska 68131, attention of Director of Transportation;

or addressed to either party at such other address as such party shall hereafter furnish to the other party in writing. Copies of each such notice shall be given to the Vendor at 135 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois 60690, attention of Corporate Trust Department.

§ 22. SEVERABILITY

Any provision of this Lease which is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, shall be, as to such jurisdiction, ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction.

§ 23. EFFECT AND MODIFICATION OF LEASE

Except for the Participation Agreement, the Trust Agreement and the Indemnity Agreement, this Lease exclusively and completely states the rights of the Trustee and the Lessee with respect to the leasing of the Units and super-

sedes all other agreements, oral or written, with respect thereto. No variation or modification of this Lease and no waiver of any of its provisions or conditions shall be valid unless in writing and signed by duly authorized signatories for the Trustee and the Lessee.

§ 24. THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES

Nothing in this Lease shall be deemed to create any right in any person not a party hereto (other than the Owner, the Vendor, RMC, the Builder and the permitted successors and assigns of a party), and this instrument shall not be construed in any respect to be a contract in whole or in part for the benefit of a third party except as aforesaid.

§ 25. EXECUTION

This Lease may be executed in several counterparts, such counterparts together constituting but one and the same instrument, but the counterpart delivered to the Vendor pursuant to the Lease Assignment shall be deemed to be the original and all other counterparts shall be deemed duplicates thereof. Although for convenience this Lease is dated as of the date first set forth above, the actual date or dates of execution hereof by the parties hereto is or are, respectively, the date or dates stated in the acknowledgments hereto annexed.

§ 26. LAW GOVERNING

The terms of this Lease and all rights and obligations hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Illinois; provided, however, that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by 49 U.S.C. § 11303.

§ 27. IMMUNITIES; NO RECOURSE

(1) No recourse shall be had in respect of any obligation due under this Lease, or referred to herein, against any incorporator, stockholder, director or officer, as such, past, present or future, of the parties hereto or the Owner, whether by virtue of any constitutional provision, statute or rule of law, or by enforcement of any assessment or penalty or otherwise, all such liability, whether at common law, in equity, by any constitutional provision, statute or otherwise, of such incorporators, stockholders, directors or officers, as such, being forever released as a condition of and as consideration for the execution of this Lease.

(2) It is expressly understood and agreed by and between the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, that each and all of the representations, warranties and agreements herein made on the part of the financial institution acting as Trustee hereunder are each and every one of them made and intended not as personal representations, warranties and agreements by said financial institution, including its successors and assigns, or for the purpose or with the intention of binding said financial institution personally, but are made and intended for the purpose of binding only the Trust Estate as such term is used in the Trust Agreement, and this Lease is executed and delivered by the Trustee solely in the exercise of the powers expressly conferred upon the Trustee as trustee under the Trust Agreement; and that no personal liability or personal responsibility is assumed by or shall at any time be asserted or enforceable against the Trustee, except for wilful misconduct or gross negligence, or against the Owner on account of any representation, warranty or agreement herein of the Trustee, either expressed or implied, all such personal liability (except as aforesaid), if any, being expressly waived and released by the Lessee and by all persons claiming by, through or under the Lessee.

§ 28. AGREEMENTS FOR BENEFIT OF OWNER AND TRUSTEE'S ASSIGNS

All rights of the Trustee hereunder (including, but not limited to, its rights under §§ 6, 7, 9, 12, 13, 14 and 17 and the right to receive the rentals payable under this Lease) shall inure to the benefit of the Owner and any of the Owner's assigns under the Trust Agreement and the Trustee's assigns (including the Vendor).

§ 29. TERM TRUSTEE

Whenever the term Trustee is used in this Lease it shall apply and refer to the Trustee and any assignee of the Trustee (including, so long as any CSA Indebtedness under the CSA or interest thereon shall remain unpaid or any other obligation thereunder be continuing, the Vendor).

§ 30. GUARANTEE OF THE GUARANTOR

In consideration of inducing the Trustee to enter

into this Lease, the Guarantor hereby unconditionally guarantees the due and punctual performance of all obligations of the Lessee (including, without limitation, the payment of money and the specific performance of such obligations) under this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement and the Indemnity Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby (all such obligations being hereinafter collectively called the "Obligations"). In the event that the Lessee fails to perform any of the Obligations at the time such Obligation is required to be performed under the Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement, the Guarantor shall forthwith perform, or cause to be performed, such Obligation.

The Guarantor agrees that the Obligations may be extended, altered or modified, in whole or in part, without notice or further assent from it, and that it will remain bound hereunder notwithstanding any extension, alteration or modification of any Obligation.

The Guarantor waives: (a) presentation to, demand of payment from and protest to the Lessee of any of the Obligations which are monetary in nature, and also waives notice of protest for nonpayment of any of the Obligations which are monetary in nature; and (b) presentation to, demand of performance from and protest to the Lessee of any of the Obligations which are nonmonetary in nature, and also waives notice of protest for nonperformance of any of the Obligations which are nonmonetary in nature. The obligations of the Guarantor hereunder shall not be affected by: (i) the failure of the Trustee or the Vendor to assert any claim or demand or to enforce any right or remedy against the Lessee under the provisions of this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement or any other agreement or otherwise; (ii) any extension or renewal of any thereof; (iii) any rescission, waiver, amendment or modification of any of the terms or provisions of this Lease or of any other agreement; (iv) the failure of the Trustee or the Vendor to exercise any right or remedy against any other guarantor of the Obligations; or (v) the failure of the Guarantor to receive notice of any extension, alteration or modification of any Obligation, this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement or any future agreement relating to the Obligations.

The Guarantor further agrees that this undertaking constitutes a guarantee of payment when due (or performance when required, as the case may be) and not of collection.

The obligations of the Guarantor hereunder shall not be subject to any reduction, limitation, impairment or termination for any reason, including, without limitation, any claim of waiver, release, surrender, alteration or compromise, and shall not be subject to any defense or setoff, counterclaim, recoupment or termination whatsoever by reason of the invalidity, illegality or unenforceability of any Obligation, this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement or otherwise. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the obligations of the Guarantor hereunder shall not be discharged or impaired or otherwise affected by the failure of the Trustee or the Vendor to assert any claim or demand or to enforce any remedy under this Lease or any other agreement, by any waiver or modification of any thereof, by any default, failure or delay, wilful, as the result of actual or alleged force majeure, commercial impracticability or otherwise, in the performance of the Obligations, or by any other act or thing or omission or delay to do any other act or thing which may or might in any manner or to any extent vary the risk of the Guarantor or which would otherwise operate as a discharge of the Guarantor as a matter of law.

The Guarantor further agrees that its undertakings hereunder shall continue to be effective or be reinstated, as the case may be, if at any time payment, or any part thereof, of any of the Obligations which are monetary in nature is rescinded or must otherwise be restored by the Trustee or the Vendor upon the insolvency, winding-up or reorganization of the Lessee or otherwise. In furtherance of the foregoing and not in limitation of any other right which the Trustee or the Vendor may have at law or in equity against the Guarantor by virtue hereof, upon failure of the Lessee to make any payment on any of the Obligations which are monetary in nature when and as the same shall become due as required under this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement, the Guarantor hereby promises, and will, upon receipt of written demand by the Trustee or the Vendor, forthwith pay, or cause to be paid, to the Trustee or the Vendor in cash an amount equal to all such Obligations to the Trustee or the Vendor, as the case may be. In addition, in furtherance of the foregoing and not in limitation of any other right which the Trustee or the Vendor may have at law or in equity against the Guarantor by virtue hereof, upon failure of the Lessee to perform any of the Obligations which are nonmonetary in nature when the same shall be required to be performed under this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement, the Guarantor hereby

promises, and will, upon receipt of written demand by the Trustee or the Vendor, forthwith perform strictly in accordance with the terms of this Lease, the Consent, the Participation Agreement or the Indemnity Agreement, or cause to be so performed, for the Trustee and the Vendor all such Obligations required to be performed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed or caused this instrument to be executed as of the date first above written.

MHC, INC.,

by

President

[Corporate Seal]

Attest:

J. W. Goodrich
Secretary

CONAGRA, INC.,

by

Vice President

[Corporate Seal]

Attest:

J. W. Goodrich
Assistant Secretary

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF
CHICAGO, not in its individual
capacity but solely as Trustee,

by

Authorized Officer

[Corporate Seal]

Attest:

[Signature]
Authorized Officer

STATE OF NEBRASKA,)
COUNTY OF *Lincoln*,) ss.:

On this *5th* day of *July* 1979, before me personally appeared *L. B. Thomas*, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a *President* of MHC, INC., that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

E. Noeen McCormick
Notary Public

[Notarial Seal]

My Commission expires *June 7, 1980*

STATE OF NEBRASKA,)
COUNTY OF *Lincoln*,) ss.:

On this *5th* day of *July* 1979, before me personally appeared *L. B. Thomas*, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a *Vice President* of CONAGRA, INC., that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

 GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska
E. NOREEN McCORMICK
My Comm. Exp. June 7, 1980

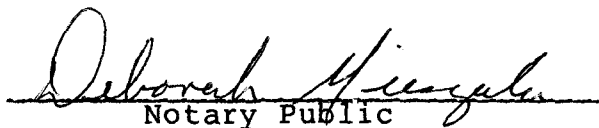
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Notary Public

[Notarial Seal]

My Commission expires *June 7, 1980*

STATE OF ILLINOIS,)
) ss.:
COUNTY OF COOK,)

On this 29th day of June 1979, before me personally appeared SANFORD KOVITZ, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is an Authorized Officer of EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said bank, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said bank by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said bank.


Notary Public

[Notarial Seal]

My Commission expires

My Commission Expires July 27, 1981

APPENDIX A TO LEASE

<u>Type</u>	<u>AAR Mechanical Designation</u>	<u>Builder's Specifi- cations</u>	<u>Builder's Plant</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Lessee's Identification Numbers (Both Inclusive)</u>	<u>Estimated Unit Base Price</u>	<u>Estimated Total Base Price</u>	<u>Estimated Time and Place of Delivery</u>
100 Ton 4,750 cubic foot covered hopper grain cars	LO	Builder's No. 1027 dated February 5, 1979	Butler, Pa.	200	CAGX 100- CAGX 299	\$42,167.50	\$8,433,500	July-August 1979, at Butler, Pa.

APPENDIX B TO LEASE

CASUALTY VALUES

<u>Casualty Payment Dates</u>	<u>Percentage of Trustee's Purchase Price*</u>
0	106.26145
1	107.06912
2	107.75175
3	108.17164
4	108.53433
5	108.84627
6	108.89839
7	109.26165
8	109.37851
9	109.44741
10	109.46146
11	109.40157
12	109.29539
13	109.14112
14	108.93398
15	108.65858
16	108.33198
17	107.96856
18	107.54783
19	107.06587
20	106.53765
21	105.96661
22	105.36202
23	104.71470
24	104.03693
25	103.26810
26	102.58825
27	101.80858
28	101.01925
29	100.15970
30	99.29070
31	98.38456
32	97.44976
33	96.48575
34	95.49392
35	94.46523
36	94.41114
37	92.32905

* As defined in paragraph 4.1 of the CSA.

APPENDIX B TO LEASE (cont'd)

CASUALTY VALUES

<u>Casualty Payment Dates</u>	<u>Percentage of Trustee's Purchase Price*</u>
38	91.22079
39	90.07999
40	88.81303
41	87.71948
42	86.50138
43	85.25271
44	83.97939
45	82.68108
46	81.35992
47	80.00978
48	78.63671
49	77.24047
50	75.82313
51	74.38127
52	72.91911
53	71.43422
54	69.92842
55	68.40529
56	66.85855
57	65.28808
58	63.69527
59	62.08281
60	60.44567
61	58.58364
62	57.09777
63	55.38970
64	53.65582
65	51.89595
66	50.11054
67	48.29963
68	46.46216
69	44.59752
70	42.70629
71	40.79974
72	40.87880
73	36.94450
74	34.96641
75	33.03127
76	31.05439
77	29.06698
78	27.06729
79	25.04870
80	23.02159

* As defined in paragraph 4.1 of the CSA.